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Hamlin Ball Park Is Lighted For Soft Ball

Wednesday night the soft ball folks had their first municipally light field to play upon here. The Hamlin Ball Park is regarded as one of the best in West Texas, and to utilize it during night hours, it had to be lighted. The expense was borne by the City. A small admission fee of 5 and 10 cents will be charged to repay this outlay, and to keep the Park in good condition, and pay the light bill. Maybe this admission will do it, otherwise a hike in prices will likely be made.

Perhaps some people will not want to play soft ball but the game by others will give a good excuse for one to go sit out in the open and look and listen.

Up to this time it seems Hamlin folks have not been very enthusiastic about the "soft ball" idea, but maybe that was because they had no place to sit, except in darkness and dirt, and that was more unpleasant than a hot seat at home.

It is in order here to mention that Hamlin City Park, the real park division, is quite a nice place to spend the late twilight hours. There's grass, there's flowers to look at and water over which a cooling breeze comes. The park is not fully developed yet, not all of it cleaned out, but it still is a pretty resting place.

There is still another dandy outing place. It is along the water edge of the old lakes, upstream. Not so much grass, but plenty of room for everybody. The summer huts up there now number five or six, and lately the West Texas Utilities Co. has built a line to the upper lakes and lights and refrigeration are now available.

Here's something else: Did you know that there is "swimming" in the "upperest, upper lake"? Well, that's not all. There is boating and serf riding to boot.

The upper lake stands, this year, brim full, giving about 15 feet of water at the deepest part. This expanse of water makes a good boating area, and a fairly good place to swim. That end of the water cost Hamlin about \$50,000, but it is no longer needed as a domestic supply.

Go boating, swimming in the daylight hours and play ball in the park at night. That's all one needs to do these days.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Lancaster and little son Stanley have found no place like Hamlin and have returned from Denver City and Abilene to take his former place with the L. L. Cowan Tailor Shop.

Army Boys To Play Generaal Crude Sun.

A base ball game of unusual attraction is to be played in Hamlin Park this Sunday at 3:30 o'clock.

General Crude Oilers will be in a hot pitched game with the 145 Inf. from Camp Barkeley.

In this game they will face the famous Quin Lee, who during 1933, 38-39 pitched for Beaumont in the Texas League, and who stood out in the Buffalo team of the International League in 1940. Lee won 17 games and lost but 3.

This will be the second time the Oilers meet Lee. Once before he played them a tight game and this Sunday a great crowd is expected to see his work on the Hamlin field.

The boys of General Crude will appreciate as much talk of this game as possible by fans who expect to see the game. Tell the folks and come see a good game.

Chamber of Commerce Gets Aluminum Minded

The nation is appealing to all its citizens for their active help. The nation needs aluminum for planes and other vital items in its defense program. The people of the nation can help by donating all used aluminumware that can be spared from their households without being replaced.

Among the items suggested for donation are pots and pans, radio parts, toys, shakers, screening, old washing machine parts, picture frames, book ends, measuring cups, kettles and double boilers, bottle and jar caps, refrigerator trays, and electrical appliances of all sorts. Do your part—look in your kitchen, around the smoke house, and the barn, and then help your neighbor do his part in this call which has come to the American people.

Let's contribute our bit in this great "clean-up" campaign by taking aluminum to the public bins that have been provided at Hamlin Chamber of Commerce, Stamford Chamber of Commerce, and on the south side of the court house in Anson.

Do this now. All aluminum will be collected from each of these places on July 30th.

The 4-H Club boys are working the rural districts and will bring their collections into Hamlin, Anson, and Stamford.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Eckler and daughter Gertrude are visiting their daughter, Mrs. G. E. Davis and family in Belin, New Mexico. They left Thursday of last week.

The Aluminum Call

Take Your Aluminum To The John T. Day Store

Without instruction, and a definite plan, quite a lot of scrap Hamlin aluminum is being collected at the John T. Day store front. Notice the box ready for your contribution as you pass. Better look around before leaving home Saturday for town and pick up those old pieces of aluminum, and pitch them off at the front of the empty building next door south of the Day store.

Tuesday two tow-headed little fellows dropped in at the Herald with their arms filled with crushed and battered aluminum utensils. "Mr., where can we leave these old pieces," says the larger boy. Their eyes were gleaming with a satisfac-

tion that after all they had found something to do that counted. There was a small bit in the great movement.

It makes no difference how much old aluminum you bring to the place in Hamlin, it will be delivered to the proper place where it can be used in smelters that are furnishing aluminum for airplanes, etc.

If you fail to come into Hamlin with your aluminum this week, next week some day ought to do as well. This effort to do something is perhaps small but if conditions continue as they look today, there will be other calls upon this community. Let us not ever be found short, or indifferent to a loyal duty.

A Texas Lion Heads International Ass'n.



GEORGE R. JORDAN
DALLAS, TEXAS
1941 PRESIDENT 1942
LIONS INTERNATIONAL

New Orleans—George R. Jordan, of Dallas, Texas, was unanimously elected president of the International Association of Lions Clubs at its 25th annual convention in New Orleans, La., which closed today, July 25, Jordan succeeds retiring president Karl M. Sorrick of Springfield, Michigan.

According to the report made by Melvin Jones, founder and secretary-general of the association, the convention in New Orleans concluded one of the most successful years in the history of Lions International. He reported the establishment of 453 new Lions Clubs and the addition of 9,680 members for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1940, and ending June 30, 1941, which raised the total number of clubs to 4,082, and the membership to 147,407.

In accepting the presidency, Jordan said that 4,082 well-organized and functioning clubs in eight countries, comprising 147,407 representative business and professional men, would meet, with precision and a definitely outlined course, their responsibilities as good citizens and Lions during the year ahead. He stated that these Lions accept with optimism the challenge for leadership in their respective cities and communities during these perilous times.

In outlining the policy of the Lions association, Jordan said that it would be to continue its expansion program, stress the Objects of Lionism which are to promote the theory and the practice of the principles of good citizenship, and to take an active interest in the civic, commercial, social, and moral welfare of each community, courageously facing the future, knowing that inevitably peace, liberty and justice will prevail.

The new president of the Lions is a member of the Dallas, Texas, Lions Club, Past Potentate of his Shrine Temple, director of the Texas Scottish Rite Hospital for Crippled Children, and a member of the Dallas Country Club.

Jordan was born in Kemp, Texas, and received his public school education and college training in his home state. He is married and has two sons. One of his chief interests is his farm, where he grows cotton and corn.

Jordan's first official appearance before Lions International was as chairman of the resolutions com-

mittee at the International Convention held in Los Angeles in 1932.

During the 1933-34 fiscal year, Jordan served as district governor of the Lions of district 2-X, Texas, previously having served as deputy district governor. He joined the Lions association first as a charter member of the Forney, Texas, Lions Club in 1925, being elevated to the presidency of that club in 1929. He transferred to the Dallas club in 1933.

— From Lions International Dept.

TO LIONS CONVENTION IN NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA

Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Henry Albritton left for New Orleans, La., to spend the week in the big International Lions Convention. Henry is President of the Hamlin Club at this time. They were accompanied as far as Port Arthur by their sister, Mrs. O. D. Roland, who had come to Hamlin to attend the funeral of her grandmother.

To Work Fairview Cemetery Monday

The Herald is asked to announce that all persons interested in the Fairview Cemetery just south of Tuxedo, to meet there early Monday morning with all kinds of tools, and cool water to spend one-half day cleaning out the Cemetery. This job has been delayed from May owing to too much rain. The May Day working has not been rained out but one time in 35 years.

McCaulley People Cleaned Cemetery

S. A. Johnson of Hamlin reports the McCaulley Cemetery as being well worked last week on Friday. It was a community affair and perhaps every grave received attention. A working of this kind by a general all-day job where basket lunches are served, is a fine plan to pay respects to the dead. The only thing "short"—it should be done at least three times each year. The McCaulley people are to be congratulated in their interest.

And say, Mr. Johnson gave \$2.00 to Hamlin's Cemetery. And all Mr. Johnson's interest is in the McCaulley Cemetery. If people can't work in a public cemetery, they can contribute a little to pay others to work.

FLAG RACES AND BARREL RACES SUNDAY AT ARENA

Myers & Wilemon are inviting women with their horses to come enjoy Flag and Barrel Races at Amateur Roping Arena Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock. Men are invited who want to practice roping at calves. A charge of 50 cents for each man roper.

All spectators are free.

Mrs. Claude Lancaster and daughter, Billie Kathryn, came in Monday from Livingston to join her husband in their new location in this West Texas town. Mr. Lancaster is now owner of the Western Auto Associate Store. Their home is on North Central Avenue.

Hamlin Misses Hold Spot Light Anson's Pioneer Celebration

Thursday in the big annual Pioneer Festival parade and Queen crowning, Hamlin young ladies held the spot light.

Miss Herbie Faye Johnston of Hamlin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Johnston, was crowned Jones County Queen. Her duchesses were Miss Joan Culbertson and Miss Phala Davis.

Today (Friday) at 9 o'clock Jones County babies will be the center of attraction, ranging in years from under one year to three years. Then in the afternoon today it is rodeo and the night is Sing-Song time for colored folks and Rodeo again at the rodeo grounds.

Rotary Club Gathers . Aluminum for Defense

This week Hamlin proves more activity about scrap aluminum than our first editorial would indicate. Patriotic movements like this gather speed. By Wednesday every Rotarian was asked to bring a piece of aluminum with him. Almost 100 per cent of the membership responded gladly. Quite a pile of aluminum was gathered before the eats started.

INZER U.S.O. CHAIRMAN

Starr Inzer was some time ago appointed local chairman of the U.S.O. in Hamlin and just this week got off to a good start towards doing Hamlin's part in this universal worthy service. It means "United Service Organization," which is a nationally organized plan of the nation to care for the idle hour needs of the great army of young men. Meaning that it costs money to fix accommodations and conveniences and entertainment for their use in the hours when not on duty. Wholesome surroundings and wholesome entertainment is needed around and in and near every military camp. It takes money and Mr. Inzer is to carry out his duties in getting as many Hamlin people to help as possible.

Mrs. Maude Fizer is spending the week with her daughters, Misses Marie and Beatrice Fizer in Wichita Falls. The daughters were in Hamlin last week with their mother spending a part of their vacation here.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Marlow and son Don G. were up in the mountains of Colorado last week on their vacation.

Mrs. Emma Hester Bates Died Here Early Mon.

At 3:20 A. M. Monday, July 21, death came to Mrs. Emma Hester Bates at the Model Hotel, the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. R. Burns.

Mrs. Bates had been in fair health for one of her age, till the last short illness that took her away. She was 73 years, 9 months and 4 days of age. She was born on October 17, 1867. She is survived by her husband, G. R. Bates, and the following children: Mrs. E. R. Burns, Hamlin; Mrs. J. R. Bull, Mrs. S. R. Camfield, Mrs. E. M. Little, and Mrs. W. W. Courtney, all of Pecos, Texas; Mrs. B. W. Weatherby, Kermit; Mrs. Vivian Storey, Abilene; E. M. Bates of Los Angeles, and W. L. Bates of Stockton, Calif. All of the above named children and their families came for the funeral.

There are 25 grandchildren and 8 great-grandchildren. Mrs. Bates had but one living brother, J. W. Methvin, of Booneville, Ark., who came for the funeral.

The Bates family came to Hamlin in September, 1912, and this place remained her home except a short while with her daughter in Abilene. She was a member of the Nazarene church in Hamlin.

Funeral services were conducted by the Nazarene evangelist, the Rev. W. F. Rutherford, of McAllen, Texas, assisted by Rev. James E. Harrell, pastor of the Hamlin Methodist church, at which place the funeral was conducted at 5:00 P. M. Wednesday, July 23.

The pallbearers were her grandsons, Tom Holbert, Buford Ingram, Norman Eugene Little, Edgar Rhea Bull, Lee Methvin Weatherby and Buddy Camfield.

The body was in charge of the Maples Funeral Home of Snyder, and interment was in Hamlin East Cemetery.

Guy Theron White of the 111th Medical Regt. at Camp Bowie, came in on July 17 for ten days at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. White. Theron says one year in the army these days is equal to three years of regular army peacetime work, and that the one year ought to help make a boy a stronger citizen.

Mrs. Pat Miller and little daughter Bettie Jane returned Sunday from Austin where they had visited her sister, Mrs. Fred Norman and husband the past four weeks. Mrs. Norman returned with them and will have a two weeks' vacation to visit her brothers, Bryant, Travis and Tom Conner in Hamlin and a sister, Mrs. Sartor and mother at Lubbock.

REDUCTION On Dresses

We are offering unusually large reductions on Spring and Summer Dresses for a limited time.

\$7.95 Dresses ----- \$5.95
\$5.95 Dresses ----- \$3.95
\$3.95 Dresses ----- \$2.98

And All Ladies' STRAW HATS ----- 50¢

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Our "Lay-Away-Plan" of Blanket Sale will continue 10 days longer. Take advantage of this great selection of

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Hot Parkerhouse Rolls -- out at -- 5:30 P. M.

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THIS WEEK

A LITTLE BIT ABOUT

This
AND A LITTLE BIT OF
THAT

Vic!

Vic!!

Vic!!!

VIC-T-O-R-Y!

—The best way a newspaper can carry out the "world-wide" sign of looking forward to the final triumph of free people over a few despots, is to print "Vic! Vic! Vic!!! VIC-T-O-R-Y!" . . . three dots and one long dash.

—This is a "spiritual" expression now being used in all countries occupied or opposed to the German-Italian-Japanese frame-up to control the world by military power.

—It is a re-assertion of peoples, led by the British, to impress upon the Germans, especially, that one or two maybe three nations cannot hold the destinies of all other nations in their bloody grip of steel.

—In our own America the great mass of people have not awakened to the realities of what is going on and may actually go on in this part of the world. Not many people actually feel that "invasion" is anywhere within a couple of thousand miles of our shores, and perhaps that is true. But it is being made more and more clear that the farther Germany's conquering and smashing power of steel goes, the more likely she will later make demands on this nation and others in this hemisphere. Then one small point of yielding, opens up the way for "just a little more concessions", then a little more and on and on till this side of the world would be drawn into the gorging blood-streaming mouth of Hitler-Muss-Japanism, like a beautiful bird into the relentless bulging belly of a great reptile.

—Hence, it is appropriate that America join the rest of the world in tapping out the "V" which means three dots and a dash, Vic! Vic! Vic!! VIC-T-O-R-Y!

—This expression is sound, serves to stimulate the heart beat for a noble cause, in a manner similar to badges worn to show that one is in sympathy with England in her unequal struggle with the millions now under Hitler's heel. It is NOW time to show which side you are on.

—T & T—

And This Is

Aluminum Week

—Last week the Herald had no information that anybody had been asked to make any definite plans for gathering discarded aluminum in

the Hamlin community. No one seemed to have that authority, if so it was kept a secret.

—Hamlin people are as patriotic as any people in any community in the United States, but all of us are timid when it comes to butting in where authority has not been granted. Somebody, maybe the Mayor, had such authority as per the general national and state set-up.

—Monday morning came, and as far as the Herald can find out only one citizen came down with discarded aluminum. That one was Leslie Sparks. But he could find nobody or place designated to receive and protect the "precious material." Sparks asked in front of the Day Hardware Store what to do with it. Henry Jackson told him he would set a box out by the vacant building to the south, and Clarence Bailey lettered a cardboard showing what the box was for.

—Tuesday morning the pitifully small, but very patriotic unorganized "Hamlin Aluminum Box" contained only the contribution of Leslie Sparks.

—M. P. May had his contribution of aluminum, three small pieces out on the walk in front of his place of business all day Monday.

—Now folks, perhaps in every home in this goodly city there are pieces of old aluminum littering up the place doing no one any good. Aluminum is precious these days, but the amount you would get from the ordinary junk dealer would be mighty little, but if all of it is gathered and let us be sure it is handled safely from grafters, the amount of aluminum in the great pile would help supply the need now for airplanes and other vital defense constructions.

—Maybe many people do not think we need any "defense." If so let all such think as they please. It is better to have defense and not need it than to need it and not have it. Maybe we need more "butinskies", and maybe then there would not be so many standing around saying, "why doesn't somebody do something."

—T & T—

Now Japan Threatens

—Indications, judging by radio and other means of report, point towards a drastic move by Japan. Japanese power is making that great "imitating country" feel itself. Just what Japan means to do in the next few days is still a puzzle, if we may believe what is said from governmental circles, but perhaps our government and that of Great Britain know more about which way Japan is to move than they permit to be told.

—Indications point to war against somebody. Whether it means against Russia, Indo-China, Thailand or the Dutch East Indies, the English or the Americans, no one seems to know. We predict Japan will move before August 1st.

Japan moves south. With agreement with the German dominated French government, Japan is reported to have acquired a foothold in French Indo-China. Just a new step in Japan's progress to dominate all the south Pacific lands, even Australia, unless England and the United States step in to hinder such aggression.

This Paper Closes

The Month of July

This is the last Friday in July, 1941. According to our new addressing machinery, all papers expiring in this July month will be so marked.

If your paper has a June, 1941, date, it also will be marked.

It is the Herald's wish to please its readers. Should you want the paper to come on, let us know some way. We would even "charge" the price for a short period. Let us know your wishes, 6 months, 50c, 12 months, \$1.00.

"Mary," said her mother reprovingly, "every time you are naughty I get another gray hair."
"Well, Mom, you must have been a terror when you were young — look at Grandma."

It Pays to take the Herald
The Herald anywhere, 1 yr. \$1.00.

Hamlin Lions Not In Meeting This Week

Owing to the death of Mrs. Bates, the mother of Mrs. E. R. Burns, the proprietress of the Model Hotel, the Hamlin Lions did not meet in their regular Tuesday noon luncheon. Mrs. Bates had lived with her daughter perhaps most of the time since the Lions Club was organized at the Model Hotel, (and it was out of respect to her loved ones the Club dispensed with its regular meeting.

LIONS HAD LADIES

NIGHT LAST WEEK

As a good send-off to their new president, Henry Albritton, who is in New Orleans this week with his wife attending the International Lions Convention, the Hamlin Lions held an open air picnic last week.

The local Lions had a number of guests from Anson, and among them was County Judge Gilbert Smith who managed to get in the chief talk following the eating part of the evening's program. They assembled at the upper lake where demonstrations of swimming, boating and serf riding took place. About 8 o'clock the next point of contact was in the area of the Lake Cabins, where barbecued chicken and all the fix-ins were served. A number of local Lions made short talks and then Judge Smith gave the main address.

Mr. and Mrs. Tate May and son James Tate and Lanny Davis left at noon Wednesday for a two weeks trip to California.

Rev. J. C. Holden, a missionary in Colombia, left last Monday for the United States to be in this country four months. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Holden of the Boyd Chapel community.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kehl of Waco are visiting in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Holden in the Boyd Chapel community.

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ABILENE SOAP WORKS

JERSEY HEIFER "GONE"

A yellow Jersey heifer, weight about 200 pounds, has disappeared from the farm near Plainview School. Information, Please, to W. L. McDONALD, Rt. 1, Hamlin. (39-P)

BILLFOLD LOST

A billfold lost containing money and papers, including social security card. The six dollars is not so important as the billfold and papers. Lost Sunday night in the Boyd Chapel community. Reward if both money and billfold returned to the Herald office or

FRANK CAMPBELL (38P)

HAMLIN PROPERTY

Have for sale, bargain, one residence on 50 foot lot on Central Ave. center of block south highway 92; and one house, center of block, south Methodist Church.

SHORTY WELLS

Gen. Del., Hamlin. (38-39)

GOOD CISTERN

Have a 30 barrel galvanized up-ground cistern and wood foundation, all in excellent condition. \$15.00 gets all of it. See

LENNIE GREENWAY

There is little pleasure in the world that is sincere and true beside that of doing our duty and doing good. No other is comparable to this.—Tillotson.

The moments when you have really lived are the moments when you have done things in the spirit of love.—Henry Drummond.

Oil Field Cash for USO



Roustabouts, drillers, producers, farmers and town people chipped in their change and put Hutchinson County more than \$500 over its quota for the United Service Organizations. Here J. C. Phillips (left), editor and manager of the Borger Daily Times, director of the USO drive for Hutchinson County, is handing E. B. Germany, Dallas, Southwestern regional chairman, a check for \$2,000. Germany flew to the Panhandle city to receive the check and to thank the Hutchinson County committee

Men commonly think according to their inclinations, speak according to their learning and imbibed opinions, but generally act according to custom.—Bacon.

Doing an injury puts you below your enemy; revenging one makes you but even with him; forgiving it sets you above him.—Benjamin Franklin.

Jim, have you a warning signal on the front of your car?

Yes, Doc, I have a little round thing that says "Dodge Brothers."

Economic professor—Name some commodity in which the supply exceeds the demand.
Student—Trouble.

Old Lady—The minister doesn't bring his little girl to church now.
Verger—No. The one Sunday her mother brought her, she said right outloud: "Why, mamma, you never let pop do all the talking at home."

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You'll never Death-Test your Conoco Nth oil nor repeat other proving-ground tortures. You'll still drain and refill at recommended intervals. But how you'll expect to stretch the distance before you ever add a quart, judging by this big fact: 5 heavily advertised oils in the Certified Death Valley Test were outmiled 74% to 161% by Conoco Nth oil.

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H. M. Jacklin

Consulting Engineer, who during Academic year is Professor of Automotive Engineering, Purdue University

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Texans Give Oil To Great Britain



JOHN F. CAMP, San Antonio oil operator, heads the "Oil for Britain" movement by Texas producers to lift the shutdown to permit an extra day's allowance from their wells to be given to the President of the United States with the request that it be released to the people of Great Britain. The plan sponsored by Camp, when perfected and given final approval by the Texas Railroad Commission, should make available to Great Britain a million barrels or more of Texas crude. The Texas gift is to be made direct to the President who, in turn, will pass it on under the terms of the Lend-Lease Act.

The San Antonio man has already donated 5,000 barrels of regular production from his wells. In acknowledging the gift, President Roosevelt said: "This gift demonstrates that democracy in action is not a bare and meaningless phrase; it symbolizes the spirit of patriotism and unselfishness which exists throughout the country today."

Mrs. S. M. Richardson returned Saturday from a two weeks' visit with her daughter, Mrs. Brandon White and husband in Dallas. Mr. and Mrs. White accompanied her home and remained until Sunday.

Mrs. Ray Johnson spent the week end in Moody visiting Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Sebastain. Mrs. W. R. Wilkerson accompanied her as far as Waco where she visited her daughter, Mrs. Lowell Ballew and family.

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A Million Barrels of Oil for Great Britain

One of the most far reaching propositions ever suggested for the defense of liberty in the fight against Hitler is that by John F. Camp, who personally gives 5,000 barrels of oil to Great Britain, and with this as a starter, the Rail Road Commission of Texas was asked to permit the Texas oil wells to flow one day this week and give the entire proceeds to the cause of Britain.

One million barrels of oil is about what this will mean, and the Commission has granted this extra one day flow. British or American tankers will carry this oil from Texas ports to the points where mostly needed.

It is all well and good to talk "Do this or do that for Democracy," but it takes men and dollars to do the trick. Oil is the power in this machine age and oil is what Texas has, and on top of that Texas people are perhaps the most outspoken people of all states for a victory for England. And why not? A victory for England is a victory for America. Whatever it takes, and Texas has it, Texas people will gladly let England have it.

And when all this fighting and killing is over, Texas people will be leading in the fight to disarm all peoples who do not know how to act with arms.

Mrs. Paul Fraser who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Culbertson, returned to her home in San Benito Friday. She was accompanied to Harlingen by Mrs. J. A. Wilhite and little daughter, Kay Sharon, who have been guests of their parents, Dr. and Mrs. L. S. Magee, and James Parker, who will visit with his aunt in Harlingen.

Miss Gwendolyn King of Abilene is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. McDonald, on Route 1, east of Hamlin.

Mrs. Joe H. Neely and daughters Betsy and Jann of El Paso are here as guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Prater and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Neely.

Miss Velma Kidwell of Lynwood, California, is spending several weeks with her sister, Mrs. R. C. Clifford in the Hitson community.

Miss Dorothy O'Neal, of Holtville, California, was a guest Saturday and Sunday of Miss Frances Jenkins.

Does Hamlin Need A Week of Free Talk?

Ye Editor heard a good woman say "between her teeth" something like this: "I wish I could say what I want to."

That put an idea in our mind. Suppose we ask the Mayor to declare a "week of Say What You Please." Wonder what would be the result? Wonder if some of us would feel relieved to tell the "other fellow" what we have on the end of our tongues? Wonder if the graveyard would not have to be enlarged? Wouldn't the wool fly and just imagine such a situation.

"Say What You Please Week" would be a novel experiment. All persons in any public responsibility would feel their ears burn, and every toe would get trampled upon. Preachers, school trustees, councilmen, officers, and old editors would have to listen to so much punk till they would not have any time left to give a sample of "their stuff". Let's not try it.

Now you think The Herald man means all this. He is trying to fill up this vacant column that a certain guy wanted us to "elaborate in" for his private business without pay. We won't toot anybody's horn that easy.

SUCCESS FORMULA

If we follow this Success Formula we might not necessarily roll up more of this world's goods, nor might we gain greater social, political or business success. But we most certainly would enjoy life more, probably live longer, develop a new sense of values, and get real satisfaction out of our daily work and living. Here tiz:

Do less that is easy, and more that is hard.

Do less of what you like, and more of what you fear.

Do less laboring, and more planning.

Do less talking, and more listening.

Do less that is technical, and more that is human.

Do less that is complicated, and more that is simple.

Do less high-pressuring, and more pushing the right button.

Do less that is selfish, and more that is altruistic.

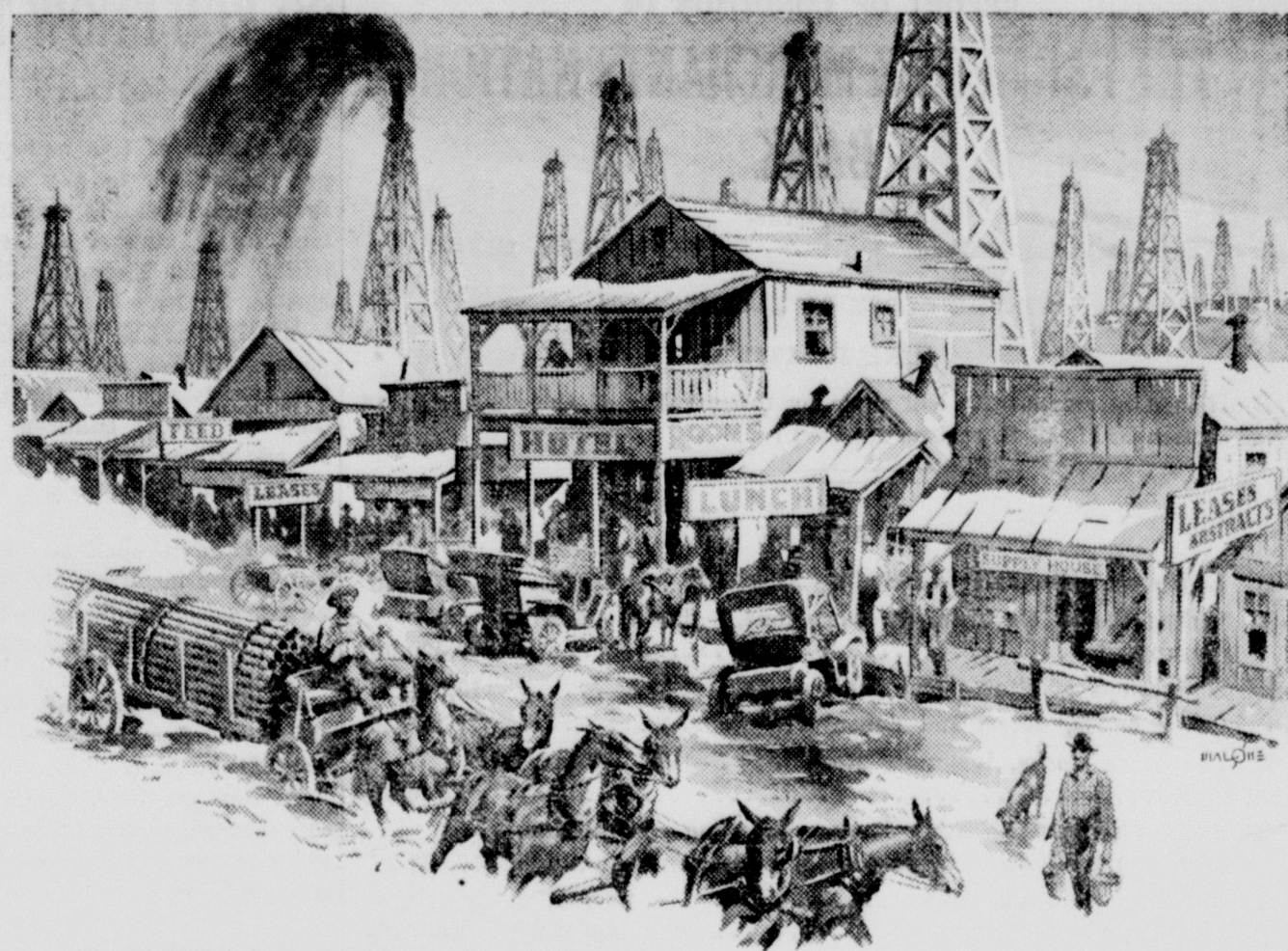
Do less dreaming and more acting.

Do less hurrying, and more relaxing.

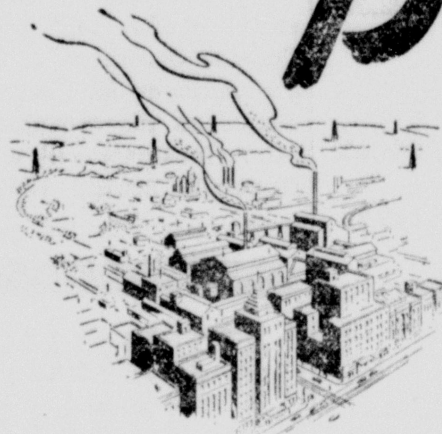
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Plum Treats For Winter

—By Frances Lee Barton—

A CROSS the foam "twixt me and you Bavarians may be taboo.

A Red Bavarian "Oo-ah!"
We think of bombs dropped from the sky.
But over here—
God Bless our land
Red Plum Bavarian is grand.

Why not prepare a batch today? This recipe explains the way:

Red Plum Bavarian
8 red plums, cooked; 1½ cups plum juice; 1 package strawberry-flavored gelatin; dash of salt; 1 cup heavy cream.
To cook plums, combine plums, ¼ cup sugar, and 1 cup water, cover, and simmer until just tender. Drain, reserving juice; measure 1½ cups. Cut plums in large pieces. Dissolve gelatin in hot plum juice; add salt. Chill until cold and syrupy. Fold in cream, whipped only until thick and shiny, but not stiff. Fold in cooked plums. Chill. When slightly thickened, pile in sherbet glasses or large bowl. Serves 6.

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Mr. and Mrs. Don O'Neal, of Holtville, California, spent the week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Jenkins.

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Why Not A Cobbler?

—By Frances Lee Barton—

"WHAT shall we have for dessert?" Why not a cobbler—a peach cobbler while fresh peaches are in season, or even with canned peaches? This is a change from the usual dessert—and a very delightful change at that.

Peach Cobbler
3 tablespoons quick-cooking tapioca; ¼ cup sugar; ¼ teaspoon salt; ¼ teaspoon nutmeg; 2 tablespoons melted butter; 2½ cups canned sliced peaches, drained; 1 cup peach juice; 1 tablespoon lemon juice.

2 cups sifted cake flour; 2 teaspoons double-acting baking powder; ½ teaspoon salt; 6 tablespoons butter or other shortening; ¾ cup milk.

Combine tapioca, sugar, salt, nutmeg, butter, peaches, and fruit juices; let stand 15 minutes, or while crust is being made. Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder and salt, and sift again. Cut in shortening. Add milk all at once and stir carefully until all flour is dampened. Then stir vigorously until mixture forms a soft dough and follows spoon around bowl. Turn out immediately on slightly floured board and knead 30 seconds. Roll ¾ of dough into strip, 2 inches wide and ¼ inch thick; line sides of 8x8x2-inch pan, fitting closely into corners. Fill with peach mixture. Roll remaining ¼ dough ¼-inch thick; with sharp knife make slits to permit escape of steam. Fit over peaches, pressing edges of dough together with fork dipped in flour. Bake in hot oven (450° F.) 15 minutes; then reduce heat to moderate (350° F.) and bake 15 to 20 minutes longer. Sprinkle powdered sugar over top, if desired. Serves 8.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Johnson returned Sunday to their home in Denison after visiting their parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Girdner.

Mrs. Kate Raney of Midland, well known beautician, is in Hamlin for a two weeks vacation, with relatives and friends.

Mrs. J. W. Jenkins and son Lester, and daughters, Mrs. Earl Whaley and Mrs. Audrey Hodnett went to McCamey for the week end to visit Mr. and Mrs. N. N. Lowe.

Mrs. F. A. Peel, a pioneer woman of Hamlin, is here for the summer with her sister, Mrs. O. G. Ebert and husband. Later she will join her daughter, Miss Maggie Peel in Houston.

Adding machine rolls 15c or two for 25c at the Herald Office.

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AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON

JUNE 30, 1941

(Published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under section 5211, U. S. revised statutes.)

ASSETS

1. Loans and discounts (including \$2,962.72 overdrafts)	\$350,709.03
2. United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	30,000.00
3. Obligations of States and political subdivisions	13,068.66
4. Other bonds, notes, and debentures	NONE
5. Corporate stocks, including stock of Federal Reserve bank	1,950.00
6. Cash, balance with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	357,292.37
7. Banking premises owned	\$3,500.00
Furniture and fixtures	4,000.00
8. Real estate owned other than bank premises	5,002.00
9. Investments and other assets indirectly representing bank premises or other real estate	NONE
10. Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	NONE
11. Other assets	NONE
12. TOTAL ASSETS	\$765,522.06

LIABILITIES

13. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$577,964.45
14. Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	55,595.77
15. Deposits of United States Government, (including postal savings)	5,000.00
16. Deposits of States and political subdivisions	35,528.10
17. Deposits of Banks	NONE
18. Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	8,194.67
19. TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$682,282.99
20. Bills Payable, rediscounts, and other liabilities for borrowed money	NONE
21. Mortgages or other liens on bank premises and other real estate	NONE
22. Acceptances executed by or for account of this bank and outstanding	NONE
23. Other Liabilities	NONE
24. TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$692,282.99

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

25. Capital Stock:	
(c) Common Stock, total par \$100—400 shares	\$ 40,000.00
26. Surplus	27,000.00
27. Undivided profits	16,239.07
28. Reserves (and retirement account for preferred stock)	NONE
29. TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNT	83,239.07
30. TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	\$765,522.06

MEMORANDA

31. Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value):	
(a) United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities	NONE
(b) Other assets pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities (including notes and bills rediscounted and securities sold under repurchase agreement)	16,450.00
(c) TOTAL	\$16,450.00
32. Secured liabilities:	
(a) Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law, City of Hamlin	14,843.14
(b) Borrowings secured by pledged assets (including rediscounts and purchase agreements)	NONE
(d) TOTAL	\$14,843.14

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I, W. C. Russell, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. C. RUSSELL, Cashier.

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JERSEY HEIFER "GONE"

A yellow Jersey heifer, weight about 200 pounds, has disappeared from the farm near Plainview School. Information, Please, to
W. L. McDONALD, Rt. 1, Hamlin. (39-P)

HAMLIN PROPERTY

Have for sale, bargain, one residence on 50 foot lot on Central Ave. center of block south highway 92; and one house, center of block, south Methodist Church.
SHORTY WELLS

Gen. Del., Hamlin. (88-89)

DO YOU KNOW TEXAS

A reader of this newspaper can get the answer to any question of fact about Texas by writing A. Garland Adair, curator of Patriotic Exhibits, Texas Memorial Museum, at Austin, Texas.

MEMORABLE PASSAGE: "The people furnish the money to build the schools and pay the teachers so that the school children shall have an education. The people, therefore, through their legislative representatives have the right to demand that those children shall be taught the heroic and inspiring history of their own great State."—Ben B. Hunt in "Knowledge and Patriotism in Texas."

Q. What became of the personal effects of Sam Houston after his death?—L. A. W.

A. Bascom Giles, Commissioner of the General Land Office, answered this question after exhibiting recently a copy of Houston's will which is in the land office files in connection with a grant of land. Houston left his library, his watch, and his jewelry to the "disposition of my dear wife," and named her as testamentary guardian of their children. He left the sword he used in the battle of San Jacinto to his eldest son, Sam Houston, Jr. Four "much beloved friends, in whom I place my entire confidence," Thomas Gibbs, Thomas Carothers, J. Carroll Smith, and Anthony M. Branch, Houston named as the executors of his estate. Houston's will was drawn in Huntsville April 2, 1863, just a week

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before he was taken ill with pneumonia and died on July 26, 1863. It was filed August 17, 1863.

ODESSA METEOR: The Odessa meteor crater is located ten miles southwest of Odessa, Ector county, Texas. It is a depression about 500 feet across made by a meteor striking the earth. Under a project carried on by the Works Progress Administration and sponsored jointly by the University of Texas and Ector County, this crater is being made into an educational exhibit. It is being cleaned out and made available to the public. The excavations around the rim have been practically completed, and the crater is now open for public inspection.

Q. Is it true that Texas now has the largest state capital building in the world and that the state has had eight capitals?—S. P. S.

A. The Louisiana state capitol at Baton Rouge is the largest; the capitol building of Texas is second largest. Texas has had but two capitals—Houston and Austin—but she has had ten or more "seats of government" where officials of the Republic transacted business.

ODDITIES: May is the only month of the year in which a president of the United States has not died. May and June are the only two months in which no president of the United States has been born.

Q. I have read that "the world's only operating helium plant is run by the Bureau of Mines at Amarillo, Texas. Is the statement correct, and can you give me a little data upon the subject?"—W. P. M.

A. The statement is correct. For full information, write the Bureau of Mines, Washington, D. C.

Q. Who was the only president of the United States who never voted?"—C. E. G.

A. Zachary Taylor.
MEMORABLE PASSAGE: "The criminals are not made in a day. We are now rearing in our homes and on the streets the youths who will be the law-breakers of tomorrow."—Pat Neff, President Baylor University.

Q. What became of the sword that General Sam Houston used in the Battle of San Jacinto?"—M. F.

A. Houston left his sword to his eldest son, Sam Houston, Jr., according to a copy of the will exhibited recently by Bascom Giles, Commissioner of the General Land Office. The copy of the will, found in a land office file, said " . . . To my eldest son, Sam Houston, Jr., I bequeath my sword worn in the battle of San Jacinto, never to be drawn only in the defense of the Constitution, the laws and liberties of his country. If any attempt should be made to assail one of these, I wish it to be used in its vindication . . ."

ODDITY:—Texans spend nearly twice as much money for candy and four times as much for tobacco than they do for education.

Q. Who made the first Texas flag?—D. C.

A. Joanna Troutman, a painting of whom may be seen in the Texas Senate chamber.

EARLY AMERICANS: Nothing is known of the dwellings of any of the earliest inhabitants of America. Only their fireplaces show where

they had been; probably a brush or skin-covered shelter built on poles served their needs. Caves proved a ready-made dwelling. Texas has produced a large number of their skeletons all of which have the common characteristic of being extremely long-headed and are considered a different type from that represented by the Indians found living throughout North America.

Q. For what crime was the first man sent to the penitentiary of Texas? Also tell me about the first pardon, the first escape, and the first killing in the state penitentiary.—D. E. K.

A. The first person sent to the penitentiary of Texas was convicted of cattle theft in Fayette Co. and was received at the penitentiary in July 1949. The first prisoner sentenced for cattle theft was pardoned by Governor Bell after serving thirteen months. At the time he and two other men constituted the entire element. One of the remaining two, thinking that he should have been given a pardon, attempted to escape and was killed by a guard.

Jellies That "Jell"

By Frances Lee Barton

IT'S jelly time again. Millions of housewives are making jams and jellies of different flavors as berries and fruits are in season—stocking those tasties that make winter meals so appetizing.

Follow the throng but be sure that your jellies "jell." A recipe like the following assures success to the new jelly maker, or the older one who has tried before and been disappointed:

Red Currant Mint Jelly

5 cups (2½ lbs.) juice; ¾ cup (3 oz.) spearmint leaves and stems, packed; 7 cups (3 lbs.) sugar; ½ bottle fruit pectin.

To prepare juice, crush about 4 pounds fully ripe red currants. Wash spearmint and chop. Add mint and 1 cup water to crushed currants; bring to a boil and simmer, covered, 10 minutes. Place fruit in jelly cloth or bag and squeeze out juice.

Measure sugar and juice into large saucepan and mix. Bring to a boil over hottest fire and at once add bottled fruit pectin, stirring constantly. Then bring to a full rolling boil and boil hard ½ minute. Remove from fire, skim, pour quickly. Paraffin hot jelly at once. Makes about 11 glasses (6 fluid ounces each).

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Clubs-Society



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Woman Society of Christian Service

Stewardship as applied to co-operation, was the theme of the program of a meeting of the Womens Society of Christian Service Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. G. R. Bennett. Co-hostesses with Mrs. Bennett were Mrs. Ed Bailey and Mrs. Bill Rountree.

Cut flowers were used to decorate the rooms where 25 women assembled to hear the program directed by Mrs. R. B. Wiar.

"Meditation" was given by the leader who used a part of the 12th chapter of Romans as her subject. Others taking part on the program were Mrs. Joe McCrary, Mrs. M. T. Hudson, Mrs. Ball and Mrs. McGuire. At the conclusion, prayer was given by Mrs. McBride.

A pleasant social hour was enjoyed, during which delicious refreshments were served.

Party at Round Top

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Green entertained a group of young people with a play party last Saturday night in their home in the Round Top community. Those present and enjoying themselves immensely were: Adele Thompson, Jackie Brown, Nita Jo Brown, Leeford Stone, Weldon Miller, Thomas Miller, Ruby Decker, Alma Lee King, Henry Burnett, Lillian Owings, Viola Green, Weneford Decker, Juanita Reynolds, Rachel Reynolds, Tressie Fay Young, Ernest Holly, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Robbie Decker, and little daughter, and the host and hostess, and little daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Stice Announce Marriage of Their Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Stice, of Hamlin, are announcing the marriage of their daughter, Miss Bertie Lee Stice, to Mr. R. T. (Bob) Bryant, of Idabel, Oklahoma. The wedding took place Saturday, July 12.

Mrs. Bryant is a graduate of the Hamlin High School.

Mr. Bryant is the son of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Bryant, of Idabel, Oklahoma. He is a corporal in the 180th infantry, stationed at Camp Barkeley.

Celebrates Fourth Birthday

Harry Bowen Hinkle, a visitor from Midland, celebrated his fourth birthday with a party Saturday afternoon in the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bowen Pope.

Games directed by Koleta Adkins and Joe Clements were played on the lawn. The white birthday cake topped with four tiny pink candles was served with Dixie Cups. Favors were small packages of candy with prizes.

Guests were Koleta Adkins, Joe Clements, James Eddie Jay, Billy Ray Thomas, Patricia Lee Bennett, Faith Simpson, Joe Moser, Barbara and Royalyn Flowers, Vannie B. Huling and Mrs. G. R. Bennett.

Quilting For Britain

As was announced last week, a group of young business women met at the home of Miss Lennie Greenway on Tuesday night and quilted for Britain. One quilt was completed and another nearly assembled.

They will meet there again next Tuesday night. If you are a woman and don't know how to quilt, it is

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D. E. King of the Hitson community. He is employed by the W. T. Walker Oil Co. in Hamlin.

Following the ceremony the couple left on a short wedding trip, first going to Sweetwater. They are at home in apartments on 10th street.

Kurt Schoemann spent last week in the markets of St. Louis, Chicago and Milwaukee, and this week he drops down to Dallas where he will be joined in his buying by Mrs. Clyde Huff, chief bookkeeper for the Schoemann Store.

Miss Mildred Barrow left last week for Temple to enter training as a medical technician in the Scott & White Clinic. This is ordinarily a twelve months' course.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Chiles and children of Waxahachie visited with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bevels this week while on their way to Cheyenne, Wyoming.

Mr. and Mrs. Moore, Editors and managers of the Aspermont Star, visited in the Hamlin Herald office Monday morning. This young couple are making a very nice paper for the Aspermont people.

Mrs. O. R. Southerland of Dallas is a guest of her sister, Mrs. Florence Morgan.

METHODIST CHURCH

JAMES E. HARRELL, Pastor

Sunday School, 9:45 A. M.
Morning Worship, 10:50.
The Intermediates meet at 7:30 P. M.
Senior Young People meet at 7:30 P. M.
Evening service, 8:15.
Mid-week service, Wednesday night at 8:15.

The Pastor's sermon subject Sunday morning is to be: "The Measure of a Man's Life." Sunday evening the sermon topic is to be: "When Nobody is Looking." Special music will be rendered.

"A Sabbath well spent brings a week of content
And health for the toils of the morrow.
But a Sabbath profaned, what'er may be gained
Is a certain forerunner of sorrow."
We welcome visitors.

Rev. James E. Harrell was called to Spur Tuesday to hold the funeral of a Mr. W. P. Simpson, a member of the Spur Methodist Church, of which Rev. Harrell was a pastor before coming to Hamlin. Last week Rev. Harrell visited his mother in Breckenridge.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Our Daily Vacation Bible School Commencement will be held at the church, Sunday night at 8:15. Come and see the work accomplished by your boys and girls during the past two weeks. You will not forget this service.

Rev. W. A. Albertson, pastor of the First Baptist church of Munday, Texas, will be our guest speaker Sunday morning. Your pastor is in a revival in Munday this week and next. Be sure and hear this good man; for fifteen years he has been pastor in Munday, and is one of our best preachers.

We welcomed several new members last Sunday. Nine were baptized Sunday night; three came during the day on promise of letters. Let us kindle the evangelistic spirit even more.

H. E. East, Pastor

Mrs. Jim Burton and children and Mrs. T. J. Nall and son and daughter Howard and Emma Raye went to Graham Lake fishing last week. They brought back some nice ones, too.

Mr. and Mrs. Y. A. McNeill spent a couple of days in Midland and Odessa the past week on business.

Curtis Martin and wife and daughter, Miss Marian, left Monday to attend the National Baby Chick Association in Kansas City. They went by auto to Fort Worth and there took a plane, which will be the first time "up" for the mother and daughter.

Robert H. Campbell, Secretary of the Hamlin Rotary Club, attended the District Assembly at Graham Monday.

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W-H-E-W-W but it's hot! And each week-end seems hotter than the last one. It's hard to realize now that only a few short months ago cold winter winds were sweeping this section. Soon they will be back again and the heat of summer will be forgotten.

Heating your home is important, especially so since many winter illnesses are directly traceable to catching cold due to inadequate heating facilities in the home during the winter season. It is not too early to be doing something about winter comfort now. Already thousands in this section are heading for an easy, healthful winter by bringing their heating facilities up to date ahead of the fall rush. Besides giving a widespread, healthful warmth, modern gas heating appliances look better and serve you more efficiently.

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**Snow Still Seen
As Freeze Goes
Into 13th Day**

**Texas' Coldest Spell
For 41 Years Shows
No Sign of Letup;
Thursday Top Is 24**

Dallas headed into its thirteenth day of freezing weather Thursday night as the Weather Bureau hoisted snow signals for this section in the south portion of East Texas. It was the ninth consecutive day of Dallas' coldest weather in a decade, and despite moderating weather in West Texas the state weather which extended near the coast.

The cold wave is the most tenacious in Texas in forty-one years and in Dallas was comparable with the cold January, 1918, when the mercury dropped below freezing thirty-four days out of the forty.

Since Dec. 27, 1917, to Feb. 4, 1918, days have had sub-freezing weather, and some of the lowest temperatures were recorded since the all-time low of 3 below zero was set in January, 1930.

One of Lowest Januaries.

Notorious January, already branded the bitterest month of the weather records and by pioneers' tales of the roaring blizzard of '99, will be recorded this year as one of the worst.

The average daily minimum temperature for the month for a less than December's average, next coldest month, and nearly four degrees less than the February average. For the current year, however, the average to date is 24.8, twelve degrees below normal.

POT SHOTS FROM M'CAULLEY

BY GEO. DARDEN

Miss Hettie Logan Clay, former teacher in the McCaulley school, and who is now a teacher in the Merkel schools, spent the week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Darden.

Rev. C. E. Dick has gone to Dallas to be with his son Edgbert, who is to undergo surgery in a hospital there this week.

Mrs. Hughie, mother of Mrs. Hub Parker, is ill at her home south of town.

Mrs. Joe Skaggs and Mrs. Dolph Skaggs are visiting in Greenville and East Texas points for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Maberry and son Jack and granddaughter Patsy, are in California for a visit with a daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Newman Bender.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Harris and children of Abilene are spending a few days with Mrs. Harris' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Faulkenberry.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hennington and children visited over the week end with relatives in Winters and Ballinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Courtney and daughter are on their vacation in East Texas.

Frances and June Davison were visitors in New Orleans and other eastern points last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Rector and daughter made a trip to Coleman last Sunday for a visit with relatives.

A hard driving rain accompanied by plenty of electricity visited McCaulley and vicinity last Friday night. Some of the folks seem to think that the rain may have washed some of the bugs off of the cotton. We hope so.

Mrs. Bill Anders has returned home from a visit with her father in Houston and other relatives in Wichita Falls.

Drilling is in progress on a well located on the Katy Prater farm about two miles southwest of town.

Owen Mason who has been working at Camp Bowie, visited his grandmother, Mrs. Flora Mason in McCaulley last week.

While measuring land last week, this scribe and Roy Hennington made it to Mr. and Mrs. Rush Rector for dinner. Mr. and Mrs. Rector who live at Royston, are of the old Western type of folks who make people feel at home and we of "the Chain Gang" surely did enjoy the visit as well as the good dinner.

Mr. Rector is an early day cowman of Fisher county, and he still runs a nice little herd of fine cattle.

In the near future we hope to give the readers of this column some true stories of the lives of the early day settlers of this community—and we will appreciate facts and data that you may hand us regarding our old settlers.

The old time Quarter horse is staging a comeback. For years it seemed as if the people were going to let the horse down, but the NEW is wearing off of the machine age and people are again talking good horse flesh. Having been a licensed jockey and race horse trainer, this

scribbler of news is anxious to again see the country folks gather at the race tracks to watch their favorite pastime, and Oh boy, what a thrill when the crowd yells, "They're off."

Bess Darden has returned home after a seven weeks' visit with grandparents at Girard. Miriam Parks, a cousin, accompanied Bess home for a few weeks' visit.

Mrs. Johnnie Murdoch and J. A. Parks of Jayton and Mr. and Mrs. Dono Darden of Rotan were visitors Sunday in the home of the Geo. Dardens.

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Is it not detrimental to our way of life and our National Defense program for any man or set of men to lambast our President in a time when War is at our doorstep? All true Americans believe in free speech but not the kind of speech that would endanger the lives of our citizens. Shall our troop movements be exposed and the lives of our boys be endangered by the popping off of Burton K. Wheeler? Does Mr. Wheeler sincerely believe that he is rendering our country a great service, when he tells the people of all the earth by radio and through the press when and where our navy will go next? Some time ago, our President proclaimed a national emergency, and is it not a fact that a national emergency still exists? We are on the verge of war, even though we are not at the present engaged in a shooting war and even though Mr. Wheeler is a senator, there should be a way to stop his exposure of troop movements. We imagine that because the senator wasn't nominated for President or vice-president, that he has soured on the world. There is no true American that wants war but when we are faced with facts, it's either let the democracies down and wait for Hitler to come over here or do what we can now to prevent our own shores from being invaded. Men like Wheeler, Lindbergh and Nye do not speak the same language as ninety per cent of the American people.

A DARDEN-O-GRAM

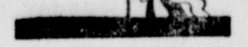
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Popular 61 years

J. B. Eakin and a Lamesa man, Loo Randals, spent this week down in the Menard country fishing.

A New Layer Cake

By Frances Lee Barton

WHAT tastes better than a layer cake? Here's one that will appeal to those who like good cake and to those who always nibble first at the filling or the topping. Try it on your family and you'll repeat it for your guests:



Apricot Cream Angel Layers

1 cup sifted cake flour; 1 1/4 cups sifted granulated sugar; 1 cup egg whites (8 to 10 egg whites); 1/4 teaspoon salt; 1 teaspoon cream of tartar; 1 teaspoon vanilla; 1/4 teaspoon almond extract.

Sift flour once, measure, add 1/2 cup sugar, and sift together four times. Beat egg whites and salt with rotary egg beater or flat wire whisk. When foamy, add cream of tartar and continue beating until eggs are stiff enough to hold up in peaks, but not dry. Add remaining 3/4 cup sugar, 2 tablespoons at a time, beating with rotary egg beater or whisk after each addition until sugar is just blended. Fold in flavoring. Then sift about 1/4 cup flour over mixture and fold in lightly; repeat until all is used. Bake in two ungreased 9-inch layer pans in moderate oven (350° F.) 25 minutes, or until done. Remove from oven and invert pans on rack until cake is cold. Spread Apricot Cream Topping between layers and sprinkle top of cake with confectioners' sugar.

Apricot Cream Topping

4 tablespoons sugar; 5 tablespoons cake flour; dash of salt; 4 tablespoons canned apricot juice; 1 cup canned apricot pulp; 2 tablespoons lemon juice; 1 cup cream, whipped.

Combine sugar, flour, and salt in top of double boiler; add apricot juice and mix thoroughly. Sieve well-drained apricots to obtain 1 cup pulp and add gradually to flour mixture, stirring until blended. Place over rapidly boiling water and cook 5 to 7 minutes, stirring constantly. Add lemon juice. Chill. Fold in cream. Makes 3 cups.

FEED

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Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Rudolph of Waxahachie are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. French of Tuxedo. Mrs. French and Mrs. Rudolph are sisters. They were accompanied by Mrs. R. M. Delk, a sister of J. C. Culbertson, to visit in the Culbertson home.

Mrs. G. P. Odom and little son Guy Presley, left on Wednesday of last week for Dayton to visit her sister, Mrs. Jim Richardson and husband till about August 1st.

Lieut. and Mrs. Bates of Camp Berkeley, and Mrs. Bates' brother, private Shannon, were here for the past week end to visit Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Girdner.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Presley and little daughter, Dorothy Lee of Durant, Okla., were visiting in the home of Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Girdner from Wednesday to Sunday.

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Lunch Box -- pint --- 23c
Dalewood Oleo -- 2 lbs --- 27c
Sunnybank Oleo -- 2 lbs --- 25c
Ivory Soap -- 10 oz bars --- 9c
Ivory Soap -- 2-6 oz bars --- 11c
Ivory Soap -- 3 guest bars --- 13c

Cherub Milk -- 3 tall cans - 22c
Cherub Milk -- 6 small cans 22c
Assorted Flavors
Jell-Well --- 3 pkgs ----- 10c
Mayday Oil Salad Oil - pint . 19c
Wesson Oil --- pint ----- 25c
Syrup Blue Karo - 5 lb tin - 35c
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Rinso -- 24 oz pkg ----- 23c
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CANS
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15¢
Bottle Deposit
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4 Roll
Family Pack
22¢

Ganulated Soap
SU-PURB
24 oz pkg
17c
50 oz pkg
33¢

No Bone—No Waste
Rolled Roast -- lb --- 22¢
Quality Beef
Seven Roast -- lb --- 23¢
Quality Beef
Round Steak -- lb --- 33¢
Baked Loaves -- lb --- 25c
Weiners -- lb --- 21c
Longhorn
Cheese -- lb --- 25c
Boiled
Ham -- 1-2 lb --- 25c
FRYERS Dressed and Drawn
Dry Salt Jowls -- lb --- 12c
Sugar Cured Strip, 18 to 20 lb avg.
Bacon -- lb --- 23c
Armour's Dexter
Sliced Bacon -- lb --- 29c
Armour's Star
Sliced Bacon -- lb --- 33c

SAFEWAY

Mrs. Earl Stewart, Mrs. Jodie Creel and Mrs. Sybil Mackin returned to their homes in San Angelo Thursday, after spending a few days in the home of their sister, Mrs. Clifford Stice and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Waggoner were host and hostess for Hamlin, Thursday night for the dance at Pioneer Hall in Anson, honoring the Jones County queen and duchesses of the Pioneer Festival.

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The Herald has a card from Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Morton in Boulder Colorado, asking for their paper to be sent there for the next five weeks. They are attending the University of Colorado.

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